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CASE: OST-021007
SERIAL NO.: 10/072,623
FILED ON: February 8, 2002
FOR: METHOD OF PRINTING A
TEXTILE MATERIAL IN
SECTIONS

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Basis for Relevance

A liquid dispersion of the capsules (which are lined with polymeric material and contain a liquid) is passed over the support across a screen, the polymer material being flexible during the printing of process by absorbing the contained liquid and hardening afterwards, on drying.

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The working layer on the textile fabric can be in zones. The layer is composed of solid or hollow spherical particles ingredient at the particle surfaces. Hollow particles can encapsulate a fluid ingredient, for example, aloe vera as micro-capsules. The walls of the particles are of material composition which has different resistance to the effects of the environment and especially pressure, humidity and temperature. The particle walls have different thicknesses, or the particle walls are in two layers each with a different resistance to the environmental effects. Some particles are of different diameters. The particles are held at the fabric by a bonding agent, or the particle surfaces are tacky for adhesion. The yarns which are at a gap from the working layer are worked into the fabric surface at least on one side. The working layer has a structure which has a low friction against skin, using ceramic and polymer materials. The layer can be removed by water and/or a solvent.

In addition, Applicant submits that the filing of the accompanying information disclosure statement is after the period specified in paragraph (b) of 37 C.F.R. 1.97.

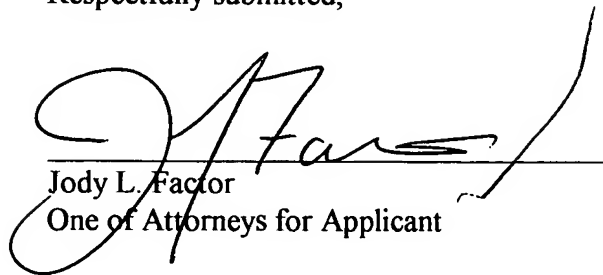
Applicant submits, as required under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 (c), that the present information disclosure statement is being filed prior to the mailing of a final office action or notice of allowance, and is accompanied by the fee as prescribed in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p).

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests consideration by the Office of the accompanying information disclosure statement.

Should anything further be required, a telephone call to the undersigned at (312) 226-1818
is respectfully invited.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 13, 2003



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OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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